

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

WHEREAS, the Forty-first Legislature at its Regular Session passed House Bill No. 314, being "AN ACT changing the names of certain State Eleemosynary Institutions and State Institutions named and described in this Act; providing for the control of such Institutions by the State Board of Control; providing for the appointment of Superintendents of said Institutions, their terms and powers; providing for the manner of their compensation; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing that all laws applicable to the Institutions under names by which they are now known shall be applicable to the Institutions under the names herein indicated, and declaring an emergency"; and,

WHEREAS, said Bill has been vetoed for the reasons set out in the following statement, which has been filed with said Bill in the office of the Secretary of State:

REPRODUCED FROM THE
HOLDINGS OF THE
TEXAS STATE ARCHIVES

This Bill changes the name of certain of the State eleemosynary institutions. I have no objection to the change in the names of these institutions. It further provides that the superintendents of the several eleemosynary institutions, respectively, shall have the "care and custody of the buildings, grounds, furniture and all other property pertaining to the institutions under his charge". The store-keepers who have charge of the supplies at the various State eleemosynary institutions are under bond to the Board of Control for the faithful discharge of their duties and the proper accounting for all supplies entrusted to their care. The Board of Control has found it necessary in the conservation of these supplies to pass a rule prohibiting anyone having a key to the storerooms at the several institutions except the store-keeper in charge. I have no objection to the Bill, except that control of the store-keeper and storeroom is taken from the Board of Control. It is my judgment that there is wisdom in the present policy of having these storerooms in charge of a store-keeper who is under the supervision of the Board of Control and who is periodically audited and checked by this Board. It is undoubtedly a policy in the interest of economy and I do not favor the provisions of this Bill which change this arrangement.

For the reasons stated, I have determined to veto this Bill, and I hereby veto it.



Governor of Texas

NOW, THEREFORE, KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT I,
DAN MOODY, Governor of the State of Texas, under and by virtue of the authority
vested in me by the Constitution and Laws of this State, have vetoed said Bill
for the reasons stated and on file, and do hereby proclaim said action to have
been taken.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto
signed my name officially and caused
the seal of State to be impressed
hereon at Austin, Texas, this the 1st
day of April, A. D. 1929.

Dan Moody
Governor of Texas

BY THE GOVERNOR:

Paul G. McAllen
Secretary of State